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IN RE APPLICATION OF: Hirofumi MURATANI, et al.

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FOR: ENCRYPTION APPARATUS, DECRYPTION APPARATUS, EXPANDED KEY GENERATING APPARATUS AND METHOD THEREFOR, AND RECORDING MEDIUM

REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE) TRANSMITTAL

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- ☒ Amendment
- ☐ Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)
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